

ABSTRACT

A specimen analysis disk (1) includes a channel (6) provided therein as extending from an injection hole (5) toward an outer periphery thereof, and is rotatable about an axis thereof by external rotation means to cause a liquid specimen injected into the channel (6) from the injection port (5) to flow through a reagent portion (7) in an analysis area provided midway in the channel toward the outer periphery, wherein a water absorbing member (8) is provided in an outer end portion (6a) of the channel (6). Thus, the liquid specimen caused to reach the outer end portion (6a) by a centrifugal force generated by the rotation is absorbed by the water absorbing member (8), so that the possibility of the back flow and scattering of the liquid specimen can be eliminated and the thickness of the disk can be reduced without the need for the provision of a sump extending in the direction of gravity.